

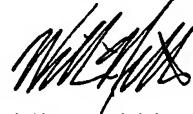
[The craft of Claim 1] wherein said superconductive material is in the form of a superconductive layer and further includes a lightweight thermal insulative substrate on which said superconductive layer is positioned.

**REMARKS**

The Examiner has rejected the claims for double patenting over U.S. Patent No. 6,318,666. Accordingly a Terminal Disclaimer is enclosed to overcome such rejection. Claim 1 was rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by Wachspress. Accordingly Claim 1 has been canceled, and its limitations have been included in amended Claims 2 and 3, both of which are now in independent form. It is believed that the claims as amended in view of the Terminal Disclaimer are now in condition for allowance. It is therefore requested that a Notice of Allowance issue in due course.

A clean version of amended Claims 2 and 3 follows.

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